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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

This paper is filed in response to a non-final Office Action dated September 17, 2007. The three-month period for response expired December 17, 2007. In light of a Request for a two-month extension of time, response is due February 17, 2008; this response is timely filed.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the **Listing of claims** that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.